

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 949

By Kilby

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Heather Rae Gunter,  
2004 Valedictorian of Central High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Heather Rae Gunter is one such exceptional student who was named Valedictorian of the 2004 graduating class at Central High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Miss Gunter has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our nation; and

WHEREAS, during her remarkable high school career, Miss Gunter has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, Heather Rae Gunter has been honored with numerous prestigious awards during her high school years, including recognition on the National Honor Roll and in *Who's Who Among American High School Students* and the TSSAA Academic Achievement Award; and

WHEREAS, she is an active and invaluable member of her school and her community and has participated in the Beta Club, Basketball, Golf, the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Family, Career and Community Leaders of America, and the Anchor Club; and

WHEREAS, a true leader among her peers, Miss Gunter has served as a member of the Student Council; and

WHEREAS, Heather Rae Gunter's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Nancy McCartt and James Gunter, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, her display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Miss Gunter's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor Heather Rae Gunter, 2004 Valedictorian of Central High School, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for much happiness and every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.